

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-15

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 PM-05 INR-10 /043 W  
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R 301929Z AUG 78  
FM AMEMBASSY BONN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1455

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: OVIP (BENSON, LUCY), TECH, MNUC, GW, US  
SUBJECT: INVITATION TO UNDER SECRETARY BENSON

REFS: (A) BENSON-VAN AERSSSEN LETTER DATED JANUARY 25,  
1978, (B) BONN 6376, (C) STATE 93530, (D) BONN  
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1. BUNDESTAG DEPUTY JOCHEN VAN AERSSSEN, A MEMBER OF THE  
CDU/CSU OPPOSITION, HAS ASKED AGAIN ABOUT HIS  
LONG-STANDING INVITATION TO UNDER SECRETARY BENSON TO  
VISIT THE FRG TO DISCUSS NUCLEAR ENERGY MATTERS.  
VAN AERSSSEN HOPED THAT THE EMBASSY WOULD HAVE NEW IN-  
FORMATION BEFORE THE BUNDESTAG ENDS ITS SUMMER RECESS  
IN MID-SEPTEMBER.

2. COMMENT: VAN AERSSSEN'S INVITATION HAS BEEN IN SUS-  
PENSE SINCE LATE APRIL, WHEN WE LAST DISCUSSED IT WITH  
HIM (REF C). TO OUR KNOWLEDGE, HE HAS HAD NO DIRECT  
CONTACT WITH THE DEPARTMENT ON THIS SUBJECT SINCE THAT  
TIME. VAN AERSSSEN STILL BELIEVES, ON THE BASIS OF  
REF A AND EARLIER TALKS, THAT HE HAS A FIRM COMMITMENT  
FROM THE UNDER SECRETARY. END COMMENT.

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3. PLEASE ADVISE. MEEHAN

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## Message Attributes

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